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HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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FUNDS FOR SELF FINANCING COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission (UGC) has finalized a proposal to provide financial help to self financing colleges and universities in the country;

(b) if so, the facts and details thereof;

(c) whether financial assistance to such colleges/universities by UGC is likely to raise the quality of education as well as assist the weaker sections of the society in getting admission to such institutions; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (d): According to the University Grants Commission, it has constituted an Expert Committee under the Chairmanship of Prof. Dr. Shivajirao Kadam, Member, UGC & Vice Chancellor, Bharti Vidyapeeth University to provide financial assistance to self financing colleges and universities in the country. The Committee has not yet submitted its report.